## **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Sealed proposals will be received at the DPW-Division of Highways Conference Room at 95 Franklin Street, 14<sup>th</sup> floor, Buffalo, New York, until **10:00 a.m., July 25, 2013**.

PROJECT: EMERY PARK DAM PARTIAL DECOMMISSIONING

PROJECT NO: DAMS-1-13

BID DEPOSIT REQUIRED: \$22,500.00

DESCRIPTION: Partial removal of existing dam located in Emery Park; and related

rehabilitation work.

COST OF PLANS: \$100.00/set

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Plans, instructions for bidders, bid sheets, and special provisions may be examined or obtained **July 11**, **2013** through bid date, between 9:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. EST, at the Office of the Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, Highways, 95 Franklin Street, 14<sup>th</sup> floor, Buffalo, New York.

Purchase of plans requires payment, by check or money order payable to "County of Erie", in the amount of \$100. A refund will be made in full to the purchaser for the return of each set in good condition within seven (7) days of the bid opening date.

Each bid or proposal must be accompanied by bidder's certified check, as bid deposit, payable to the "County of Erie" in the amount of **\$22,500**.

Copies of the New York State Specifications covering the construction may be obtained from the Regional Offices of the New York State Department of Transportation, Division of Highways and its' website.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the Special Instructions, Special Specifications accompanying the Itemized Proposal and Contract forms, including the Erie County MWBE Utilization Forms (goal: 10% minority and 2% women), and wage rate schedules as certified for the particular contract by the Industrial Commissioner of the State of New York, Department of Labor.

Attention of bidders is called to the fact that if a prospective bidder is not registered as a bidder with the Office of the Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, Highways by virtue of his/her purchase of plans, then notices of subsequent contract-related meetings, appropriate contract addenda, or other significant matters related to the contract proposal or bid will not be communicated to said prospective bidder.

Pre-let meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 17, 2013 at 10:00 am at the Erie County Department of Public Works Conference Room 1419A, 95 Franklin, 14th floor, Buffalo, NY 14202.

The successful bidder will be required to execute the contract and comply in all respects with Highway Law and local laws governing the awarding of the contract.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, if deemed for the best interest of Erie County.

JOHN C. LOFFREDO, P.E. COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS ERIE COUNTY